# **Report Global Cosmic Group**

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# Long-term collaboration with High Schools. Hundreds of detectors (CRMDs) Worldwide.

QuarkNet

### **Cosmic Watches - QuarkNet built 48** (MIT design). **Every student in class** will have a detector. Activities: singles vs pair triggering; muon rates vs vertical separation; rate vs time; rate vs zenith angle; and rate at various locations (different floors). Prototyping usage this summer.

e-Lab statistics for 2022: 6,180 data uploads from 70 users in 6 countries; 7,630 analyses run; 318k logins; 2,107 Teacher accounts

Number of days each Analysis type was run: Flux (260); Lifetime (180); Performance (105); Shower (140); Time of Flight (115); **47k data files used** 



**International Muon Week February 14–23, 2023:** measure cosmic ray rate; 24 participants in 8 countries. Results at:

https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/edit?mid=1\_b7XvLvx9ilJ9A-

NJeDPvtP3pOAhgX0&II=3.0643583764248064%2C0&z=2

and in a Global 3D plot: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DNAg1mYPKRU

#### **Special Cosmic Ray Projects:**



Summer Workshops at Centers

QuarkNet

Simple experiments with existing data for teachers without CRMDs Jupyter Notebook code work for further analysis (e.g. upward muon search) Storm tracking across the US Midwest

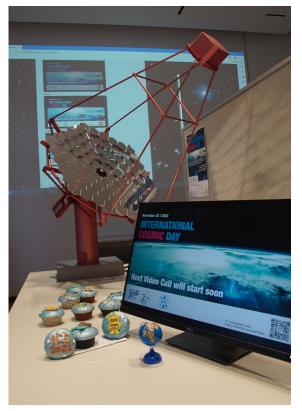
Search for the Moon's muon shadow

Cosmic activities integrated into Portfolio activities

**Pyramid** – Muography at Chichen Itza – search for hidden chambers QuarkNet plans to host data and develop event displays and analyses for the public QuarkNet Co

### **International Cosmic Day 2022**

Topic: Investigating the particles from the cosmos

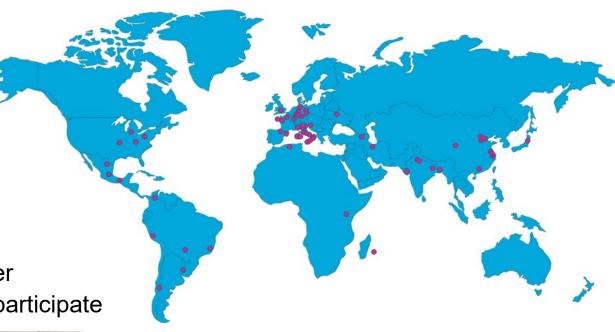


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98 groups of students, teacher and scientist in 23 countries participate



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#### 12 Video Calls throughout the day



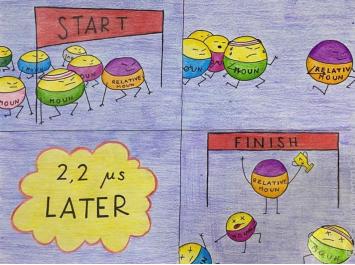
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### **Impressions from Selfie and Drawing Contest**



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### **Cosmic Lab at DESY, Zeuthen**

#### Goals for 2023

- Redesign of CosMO III detectors
- Further development of Cosmic@Web
- Summer Camp Balloon Mission 2023
- CosmicWatch building for the first time
- Test of the Auger Masterclass at the ICD





19 in-person events, 1 mixed-mode event, 1 virtual event

3008 students 910 on-site/2098 remote 124 schools 109 on-site/15 remote







#### Distribution of OCRA ICD 2022 schools

#### **Other activities:**

- Participation in science festivals with laboratories for students of all ages
- In preparation: courses for teachers on cosmic rays with the use of the Cosmic Ray Cube (CRC)
- In preparation: production of several new CRCs

The latter two activities are part of the PNRR project CTA+





### **Pierre auger masterclass**



INTERNATIONAL MASTERCLASSES 2023

In May 2022 the first edition of the masterclass based on 10% of the released data of the Pierre Auger collaboration was organized

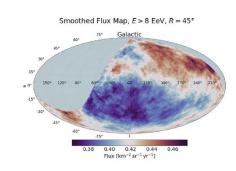
The masterclass took place in three Italian and three Portuguese institutes with about 80 students.

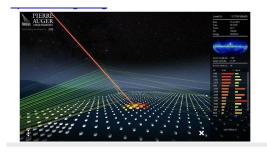
In March and April 2023 the second edition took place with participants from Portugal, Romania, Czech Republic, Italy and Algeria.

Since 2023 the masterclass is listed amongst those of IPPOG.

https://physicsmasterclasses.org/







Auger Open Data <u>opendata.auger.org</u>

 Analysis notebooks based on python, run on kaggle

### Conclusion

Many projects are evolving in similar directions (discussion about balloon flights!)

Very interesting to exchange ideas and experiences

Every context is different and all cosmic ray projects are developed within the specific framework of the countries where they are developed!

## **Thank You**

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